

2015 Current Fiscal Year Report: President's Task Force on 21st Century Policing

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1. Department or Agency

Department of Justice

2. Fiscal Year

2015

3. Committee or Subcommittee

President's Task Force on 21st Century Policing

3b. GSA Committee No.

2520

4. Is this New During Fiscal Year?

Yes

5. Current Charter

12/18/2014

6. Expected Renewal Date

12/18/2016

7. Expected Term Date

09/30/2015

8a. Was Terminated During Fiscal Year?

Yes

8b. Specific Termination Authority

EO 13684

8c. Actual Term Date

05/22/2015

9. Agency Recommendation for Next Fiscal Year

Terminate

10a. Legislation Req to Terminate?

No

10b. Legislation Pending?

Not Applicable

11. Establishment Authority

Presidential

12. Specific Establishment Authority

EO 13684

13. Effective Date

12/18/2014

14. Committee Type

Ad hoc

14c. Presidential?

Yes

15. Description of Committee

Other Committee

16a. Total Number of Reports

2

16b. Report Date Report Title

03/02/2015	Interim Report of the President's Task Force on 21st Century Policing
05/18/2015	Final Report of the President's Task Force on 21st Century Policing

Number of Committee Reports Listed: 2

17a. Open 11 17b. Closed 0 17c. Partially Closed 0 Other Activities 7 17d. Total 18

Meetings and Dates

Purpose	Start	End
Listening Session on Building Trust and Legitimacy	01/13/2015	01/13/2015
Teleconference on Building Trust and Legitimacy	01/21/2015	01/21/2015
Listening Session on Policy and Oversight	01/30/2015	01/30/2015
Listening Session on Technology and Social Media	01/31/2015	01/31/2015
Listening Session on Community Policing and Crime Reduction Strategies	02/13/2015	03/13/2015
Listening Session on Training and Education	02/14/2015	02/14/2015
Listening Session on Officer Safety and Wellness	02/23/2015	02/23/2015
Listening Session on the Future of Community Policing	02/24/2015	02/24/2015
Deliberation on Recommendations	02/24/2015	02/27/2015
Deliberative Meeting on the Interim Report	03/01/2015	03/01/2015
Deliberative Meeting on Final Report	04/24/2015	04/24/2015
[Building Trust and Legitimacy] Subcommittee meeting to develop an initial list of recommendations and action steps from the first listening session for full Task Force deliberation.	01/30/2015	01/30/2015

[Community Policing and Crime Prevention]	To develop proposed list of recommendations based on listening session for full task Force deliberation	02/19/2015 - 02/19/2015
[Officer Safety and Wellness]	To develop proposed list of recommendations for full Task Force deliberation.	02/24/2015 - 02/24/2015
[Policy and Oversight]	To develop draft recommendations for deliberation by the Full Task Force.	02/13/2015 - 02/13/2015
[Technology and Social Media]	To develop proposed recommendations for full Task Force deliberation	02/13/2015 - 02/13/2015
[The Future of Community Policing]	to develop recommendations for deliberation by the Full Task Force	02/24/2015 - 02/24/2015
[Training and Education]	to develop draft recommendations for full Task force deliberation	02/19/2015 - 02/19/2015

Number of Committee Meetings Listed: 18

	Current FY	Next FY
18a(1). Personnel Pmts to Non-Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18a(2). Personnel Pmts to Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18a(3). Personnel Pmts to Federal Staff	\$347,900.00	\$0.00
18a(4). Personnel Pmts to Non-Member Consultants	\$188,703.00	\$0.00
18b(1). Travel and Per Diem to Non-Federal Members	\$118,327.00	\$0.00
18b(2). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(3). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Staff	\$32,445.00	\$0.00
18b(4). Travel and Per Diem to Non-member Consultants	\$28,934.00	\$0.00
18c. Other(rents,user charges, graphics, printing, mail, etc.)	\$266,734.00	\$0.00
18d. Total	\$983,043.00	\$0.00
19. Federal Staff Support Years (FTE)	2.46	0.00

20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?

The task force will hold public meetings and engage with Federal, state, tribal, and local officials, technical advisors, and nongovernmental organizations, among others, in order to identify best policing practices that can promote effective crime reduction while building public trust.

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

The task force includes individuals with experience and expertise in law enforcement, civil rights, and civil liberties.

20c. How frequent and relevant are the Committee Meetings?

Estimated Number of Meetings per Year - 6.

20d. Why can't the advice or information this committee provides be obtained elsewhere?

In order to provide advice on the best means to an effective partnership between law enforcement and local communities that reduces crime and increases trust.

20e. Why is it necessary to close and/or partially closed committee meetings?

Not Applicable

21. Remarks

Although some of the committee recommendations are aimed at a variety of federal government entities, the vast majority of the recommendations are targeted to state and local law enforcement agencies.

Designated Federal Officer

Ronald Davis DFO

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Alexander, Cedric	12/18/2014	05/22/2015	DeKalb County Department of Public Safety	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Lopez, Jose	12/18/2014	05/22/2015	Make the Road New York	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Meares, Tracey	12/18/2014	05/22/2015	Yale Law School	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Packnett, Brittany	12/18/2014	05/22/2015	Teach for America, St. Louis	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Rahr, Susan	12/18/2014	05/22/2015	Washington State Criminal Justice Training Division	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Ramsey, Charles	12/18/2014	05/22/2015	Philadelphia Police Department	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Rice, Constance	12/18/2014	05/22/2015	Advancement Project	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Robinson, Laurie	12/18/2014	05/22/2015	George Mason University	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Smoot, Sean	12/18/2014	05/22/2015	Police Benevolent and Protective Association of Illinois	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Stevenson, Bryan	12/18/2014	05/22/2015	Equal Justice Initiative	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Villasenor, Roberto	12/18/2014	05/22/2015	Tucson Police Department	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

Number of Committee Members Listed: 11

Narrative Description

On December 18, 2014, President Barack Obama signed an Executive Order titled “Establishment of the President’s Task Force on 21st Century Policing” establishing the President’s Task Force on 21st Century Policing (“Task Force”). The Task Force seeks to identify best practices and make recommendations to the President on how policing practices can promote effective crime reduction while building public trust and examine, among other issues, how to foster strong, collaborative relationships between local law enforcement and the communities they protect.

What are the most significant program outcomes associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

Improvements to health or safety	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trust in government	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Major policy changes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Advance in scientific research	<input type="checkbox"/>
Effective grant making	<input type="checkbox"/>
Improved service delivery	<input type="checkbox"/>
Increased customer satisfaction	<input type="checkbox"/>
Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Outcome Comments

Not Applicable

What are the cost savings associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

None	<input type="checkbox"/>
Unable to Determine	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Under \$100,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$100,000 - \$500,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$500,001 - \$1,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$5,000,001 - \$10,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
Over \$10,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cost Savings Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Cost Savings Comments

Not Applicable

What is the approximate Number of recommendations produced by this committee for the life of the committee?

62

Number of Recommendations Comments

Not Applicable

What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Fully implemented by the agency?

0%

% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments

This was a 90-day committee and the recommendations were forwarded the President. The recommendations are being discussed for approval/implementation across various offices and levels of government, with the majority not being the explicit responsibility of any federal agency but rather recommendations to communities and local government entities; some of the recommendations may have plans to be implemented by September 30th, but the committee was terminated immediately upon submitting its final report. So any implementation would take place outside the life of the committee.

What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Partially implemented by the agency?

0%

% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments

Not Applicable

Does the agency provide the committee with feedback regarding actions taken to implement recommendations or advice offered?

Yes ☐ No ☒ Not Applicable ☐

Agency Feedback Comments

Not Applicable

What other actions has the agency taken as a result of the committee's advice or recommendation?

Checked if Applies

Reorganized Priorities	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reallocated resources	<input type="checkbox"/>
Issued new regulation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proposed legislation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Approved grants or other payments	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Action Comments

Not Applicable

Is the Committee engaged in the review of applications for grants?

No

Grant Review Comments

Not Applicable

How is access provided to the information for the Committee's documentation?

Checked if Applies

Contact DFO	<input type="checkbox"/>
Online Agency Web Site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Online Committee Web Site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Online GSA FACA Web Site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Publications	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Access Comments

<http://cops.usdoj.gov/>